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SUBJECT: 1977 MEAT IMPORT PROGRAM

REF: (A) SAN JOSE 2445; (B) STATE 117307

1. AS OF AUGUST 17 IMPORTS OF MEAT FROM COSTA RICA SUBJECT TO THE IMPORT RESTRAINT AGREEMENT WERE 47,269 THOUSAND POUNDS AND REPRESENTED 85.0 PERCENT OF THE AGREED ALLOCATION OF 55.6 MILLION POUNDS. FURTHERMORE, CUSTOMS' STATISTICS OF ENTRIES FOR CONSUMPTION DO NOT REFLECT MEAT WHICH HAS BEEN ALLOWED ENTRY INTO THE US UNDER IMMEDIATE DELIVERY (ID) PROCEDURES. AT ANY POINT IN TIME, APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS OF SHIPMENTS HAVE ENTERED THE US UNDER ID PROCEDURES BUT HAVE NOT BEEN RECORDED IN THE CUSTOMS' STATISTICS. DURING THE TWO WEEKS AUGUST 3-17, 313,000 POUNDS OF MEAT OF COSTA RICAN ORIGIN ENTERED THE US. IF A LIKE AMOUNT IS ASSUMED TO BE OUT ON ID'S, THEN THE ACTUAL AMOUNT OF COSTA RICAN MEAT WHICH HAS ENTERED THE US AS OF AUGUST 17 IS 47,582 THOUSAND POUNDS, REPRESENTING SOME UNCLASSIFIED

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85.6 PERCENT OF THE AGREED ALLOCATION.

2. RECALLING CONSULTATIONS HELD IN SAN JOSE MAY 28, EMBASSY SHOULD INFORM THE APPROPRIATE COSTA RICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 4 OF THE 1977 AGREEMENT NOTICE OF ACTION UNDER SECTION 204 OF THE AGRICULTURAL ACT

OF 1956 TO LIMIT IMPORTS OF MEAT FROM COSTA RICA UNDER
TSUS 106.10 AND 106.20 WILL APPEAR IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER
OF AUGUST 25. EFFECTIVE AUGUST 25, ISSUANCE OF IMMEDIATE
DELIVERY CERTIFICATES WILL CEASE; HOWEVER, MEAT WILL
CONTINUE TO BE ENTERED FOR CONSUMPTION WITHOUT INTERRUPTION
UNTIL THE AGREED ALLOCATION OF 55.6 MILLION POUNDS IS
REACHED. CHRISTOPHER

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